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MONTGOMERY.

Very Sick—Compulsory Education—Wednesday Night's Ball—Temperance Sermons—Left Their Drivers—Last Week's Fire.

Correspondence Arous and Mercury.

—Mr. Walter Doyle is dangerously sick at his home near Bullville.

—Daniel Cahill is very sick at the home of his father, Patrick Cahill, near Washingtonville.

—On the first of January the compulsory school law took effect. The law is a good one, but what is the use of a law if it is not enforced? We have a number of children who should be compelled to attend school. Why does not our Board of Education appoint a truancy officer?

—The ball for the benefit of St. Mary's Church, in Brady's hall, Wednesday evening of last week, was well attended. Some of the young men present visited the saloons too often for their own good or the pleasure of the company.

—Rev. J. H. Hawxhurst, of the Methodist Church, preached, Sunday morning, a very earnest and eloquent sermon against the liquor traffic. Rev. Father Charles Meredith, of St. Mary's Church, also preached a temperance sermon. He referred to the young men who became intoxicated at the ball, Wednesday evening, and said that the curse of God would be on him who would entice a young man into iniquity.

—Two incidents of horses going home without their drivers occurred here on Sunday. Mr. A. H. F. Seeger, a Newburgh lawyer, was visiting Mr. Simon Walsh and family, of this village. When Mr. Seeger was ready to return home the harness was put on the horse, but the horse got tired of waiting and started for Newburgh, while Mr. Seeger was left. He drove Mr. Walsh's horse home, and found his own there safe and sound. Mr. George Corwin came to town with Mr. Philip Hasbrouck's horse. He tied the horse under a shed, but later it was found at Paul's wagon house with the sleigh upside down and the blankets, etc., missing.

—The total loss by the fire that destroyed the barn of Mrs. Esther H. Miller and all its contents, Wednesday morning, is estimated at \$700. The barn was a landmark, being over thirty years old, but had been repaired last summer. A new building will be erected on the old foundation. The burning of the horses leaves the McNeal family horseless for the first time in nearly a century. Had there been a wind on the night of the fire a disastrous conflagration must have resulted because of the scarcity of water.

WASHINGTONVILLE.

The Grip—Improvements—Milk Makes Happy Farmers—Dull Times for Blacksmiths—Other Newsy Items.

Correspondence Arous and Mercury.

—The new house of W. B. Brooks is progressing nicely. It is being built by Lindsay & Co., of Middletown.

—W. H. Hallock has gone West after horses.

—The youngest son of W. H. Hallock has been very sick with grip, but is improving nicely.

—The Republicans met, Saturday afternoon, in this village, and nominated candidates for town officers.

—The Democrats met at Craigville, Wednesday, Feb 27th, to nominate town officers.

—Haise & Shons have a large quantity of apples on hand. They are selling some at good prices.

—William Welting is very sick with the grip.

—Our farmers feel good; they received their checks for December milk.

—Reports are that John H. Goldsmith is improving nicely from the operation which he underwent in New York, a few days ago.

—Sleighing is very good around here, now.

—Our blacksmiths are complaining of a bad winter for their business.

—E. R. Emerson has been making a good improvement by taking down a large thorn hedge row, beyond the wine vault, along the highway leading to Little Britain.

—Tax Collector Parsons is done collecting taxes.

MOUNTAIN DALE.

Signs of Spring—Returned Home—Lots of Snow—Personal and Other Notes.

Correspondence Arous and Mercury.

—Signs of spring are beginning to appear.

—Miss Ettie Foster, of Middletown, who has been visiting her parents at this place, returned home, Thursday.

—Snow is three and one-half feet deep in the woods on the level.

—Coal traffic is heavy on the O. and W.

—Jas. Carden, Jr., has enlarged his store room.

—John Foster, whose serious illness has been mentioned several times in my correspondence is able to be around and is visiting friends at Orange, N. J.

—The O. and W. pay car was in town last week.

—Miss Delia Hook attended the party at Centreville last week.

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MT. SALEM, N. J.

Christian Endeavor Social—Back from a New York Hospital—New Organ—Baptism.

Correspondence Arous and Mercury.

—The Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor, of Mt. Salem, will hold its monthly social, Tuesday evening, March 7th, at John H. Dunn's. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

—Moses Camer, who lives with James R. Nortrup, is quite seriously ill.

—Miss Lillian Corwin, who was taken to a New York hospital two months ago, has been brought back to Port Jervis to her sister, Mrs. Samuel Wickham. She did not improve very fast under the treatment she received while at the hospital.

—A new organ was placed in the Mount Salem Church, last Saturday.

—Bad roads did not keep the people from coming to church last Sunday night, there being a full house. The ordinance of baptism was administered at the close of service.

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DEMOCRATIC NOMINATIONS.

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For Members of Board of Education—ROBERT C. GILLESPIE, WILLIAM H. BENTON, EDWARD MILLER, HORACE W. COREY, HUGH McD. SCRIBBLE
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For Commissioner of Excise—ABRAHAM COXINGTON
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First Ward—JOSEPH D. BREWERHOFF.
Second Ward—HARRY E. BINGSLAND.
Third Ward—JOHN A. HICKS.
Fourth Ward—WILLIAM H. ROGERS.

It is rumored in Washington that Hon. William L. Wilson, of West Virginia, who, as chairman of the Ways and Means Committee, labored so faithfully for the cause of tariff reform, is to succeed Mr. Bissell as Postmaster General.

The "reform" Legislature has been in session two months and the sum and substance of its achievements have been the passage of a lot of bills legislating Democrats out of office. So eager have the legislators been for spoils that the legislation made necessary by the new constitution has received no attention.

So many office seeking reformers besieged Mayor Strong's office, yesterday, that the police found it difficult to preserve order. For two months the city hall has been thronged with place hunters and the nuisance has become so great that the papers are demanding that it be abated. A reform Republican seems to have a greed for office that is without parallel in the history of place seeking.

The Lunacy Commissioners and Comptroller Roberts went to Brooklyn, yesterday, to inspect the Kings county asylum buildings, with a view to their purchase by the State. Kings county is very anxious to turn its insane over to the State, and New York county also sees the economy that will result from State care and, under the law, the State must take care of the insane whenever the counties ask it to do so. The number of pauper and dependent insane in Kings and New York counties is about 9,000, and should they be turned over to the State the appropriation for the maintenance of the insane will have to be increased from \$1,300,000, last year, to \$3,500,000 or \$1,000,000, exclusive of repairs and improvements to the State hospitals and of the cost of the asylum buildings now owned by Kings and New York counties, which would have to be acquired by the State by purchase.

The Liquor Dealers' Association was connected with the Republican machine, for a few minutes yesterday afternoon, steam was turned on, the wheels creaked a little, but the mechanism worked fairly well and it did not take long to turn out John J. Cox, the Republican candidate for Excise Commissioner with the liquor dealers' endorsement. Whether this endorsement will help or hurt Mr. Cox's candidacy remains to be seen. It will also do the support of many Republicans and nullify the efforts of certain pharisaical Republicans to win him votes by pretending that he was for high license, and a reform of any and every kind that might be wanted. Last week we were told that Mr. Cox "represented the wishes of the Republican party." The endorsement he received, yesterday, makes it certain that he has pledged himself to represent the Liquor Dealers' Association.

Wants to Move His Silk Mill to Newton
A Sussex county correspondent of the Newark Sunday Call, says: "Mr. Oliphant, one of the proprietors of a silk mill which was burned at Unionville, N. Y., in January, was in Newton on Monday, Feb. 18th, and made propositions for the establishment of a silk mill in Newton. A meeting of the Business Men's Association was held on Wednesday evening, and a committee was appointed to investigate the possibility of acquiring the new industry."

LATEST BY TELEGRAPH

FIRE IN BROOKLYN'S CITY HALL.

The Cupola Consumed and the Bell and Statue of Justice Crash Down into the Building—The Damage \$500,000.
BY UNITED PRESS.

BROOKLYN, Feb. 26.—Fire in the city hall, this morning, consumed the cupola, and the statue of justice, which surmounted it, and the big bell that hung therein, fell through to the second floor. The bell had been partly melted by the intense heat.

A number of valuable paintings and the statuary in the building were ruined by fire and water. The keeper and his family, in whose apartments the fire originated, had a narrow escape. The damage is estimated at \$500,000.

DR. BUCHANAN MUST DIE.

BY UNITED PRESS.

ALBANY, Feb. 26.—The Court of Appeals has affirmed the conviction of Dr. Buchanan the wife murderer.

BURIED IN HILLSIDE

The Body of Col. Wood Brought to this City.

The body of the late Col. A. B. Wood, who died at Halstead, Pa., Saturday, was brought to this city on Erie train 2, this afternoon, accompanied by Mrs. Wood and a friend, cousin of the deceased, a Mr. Wood, who formerly resided at Chester, was at the depot to meet the funeral party, as were a number of former friends of Col. Wood.

Undertaker Rockafellow took charge of the body, which was taken directly to Hillside Cemetery, where brief services were conducted by Rev. Dr. Gordon.

The bearers were Messrs. D. D. Houston, F. M. Pronk, Jas. A. Clark and T. N. Little.

IMPROVEMENTS AT THE SOUTH END

Canal Street to be Widened and Curbed and Its Name to be Changed to Wawayanda Avenue.

An enthusiastic meeting of the property owners and others interested in the proposed widening and improving of Canal street was held at the office of Mr. H. W. Corey, Saturday evening. Mr. J. Spencer McWilliams was made Chairman and Mr. Alton J. Vail, Secretary. After considerable discussion a contract was prepared by the Secretary in which the different parties agree to widen the street to a uniform width of sixty feet from the first bridge, south for a distance of about one and one half miles to the southerly line of the lands of Spencer McWilliams. An agreement was also made to construct sidewalks eight feet in width for the entire distance, and to place curbing in position, all to be completed before July 1st. It was also agreed that eighty extra lamp posts be placed along the new street, and three hundred more shade trees transplanted. This makes a total of over one thousand trees, one hundred and eighty lamp posts, and forty-five thousand feet of curbing, which have been already contracted for to date.

A committee was also appointed to secure the signatures of all not present at the meeting. A petition is also in circulation to change the name of Canal street to Wawayanda avenue.

DECKERTOWN.

The Lady Washington Tea—A Reception—Rumors of a Wedding—Personal Notes.

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY.
—The Lady Washington tea party given by the members of the Presbyterian Church was a decided success, about \$110 being taken in.

—Rumor says that wedding bells will ring in the near future.

—A reception was held by the Adams's dancing class on Thursday evening last.

—Rev. S. D. Decker has been visiting his son, who has been sick at school at Philadelphia.

—Mr. and Mrs. Edward Feaks arrived home safe, Wednesday from England.

—C. G. Willson returned home from Princeton College, last Thursday evening.

—Miss Millie Stickney returned home from the State Normal School at Trenton, one night last week.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE REPORT

JAS. P. TIGHE, Commission Broker, Stern Building, 15 North street, Middletown, N. Y.
Stocks, Bonds, Grain and Provisions bought and sold for cash or carried on margin.
New York, Feb. 26 '95.

	High	Low	Close
Sugar	9 1/2	9 1/4	9 1/4
A. T. C. F.	70 1/2	70 1/4	70 1/4
O. B. A. C.	70 1/2	70 1/4	70 1/4
Chicago Grain	71 1/2	71 1/4	71 1/4
D. E. & W.	15 1/2	15 1/4	15 1/4
Dia & Cat. F.	11 1/2	11 1/4	11 1/4
Brie	8 1/2	8 1/4	8 1/4
General Electric	29 1/2	29 1/4	29 1/4
L. & N.	61 1/2	61 1/4	61 1/4
L. S.	137 1/2	137 1/4	137 1/4
S. P. & N. E.	20 1/2	20 1/4	20 1/4
N. Y. C.	20 1/2	20 1/4	20 1/4
N. W. C.	19 1/2	19 1/4	19 1/4
N. P. P.	40 1/2	40 1/4	40 1/4
O. & W.	16 1/2	16 1/4	16 1/4
Manhattan	10 1/2	10 1/4	10 1/4
Southern Ry.	30 1/2	30 1/4	30 1/4
P. & B.	9 1/2	9 1/4	9 1/4
R. J.	60 1/2	60 1/4	60 1/4
C. M. & St. P.	65 1/2	65 1/4	65 1/4
N. O. & G.	8 1/2	8 1/4	8 1/4
W. Union	8 1/2	8 1/4	8 1/4
U. S. Clothing	4 1/2	4 1/4	4 1/4
Stat. Lead	27 1/2	27 1/4	27 1/4
May Wheat	64 1/2	64 1/4	64 1/4
May Corn	45 1/2	45 1/4	45 1/4
May Oats	29 1/2	29 1/4	29 1/4
May Pork	10 1/2	10 1/4	10 1/4
May Lard	6 1/2	6 1/4	6 1/4

Liquor Dealers Endorse Cox for Excise Commissioners.

The Liquor Dealers' Association met, yesterday afternoon, to decide which of the three candidates for Excise Commissioner should receive the Association's endorsement. After full discussion a vote was taken with this result: John J. Cox, 19; A. Coddington, 3; John W. Hill, 0.

A Surprise Party.

About fifty of the young friends of Mr. Edward Felten gave him a pleasant surprise at his home, No. 6 Linden avenue, last night. The evening was pleasantly spent in dancing.

TYPEWRITERS.

Opinions of Them Dictated to One of Them by an Accomplished Stenographer.

More trash and nonsense has been written about typewriters by people who do not understand what a typewriter is or how to dictate to a typewriter than about any other business or any other business. Either men or women are engaged to type. The fact of the matter is that typing is worth anywhere from \$1 a week up to \$30 or \$35, which is not much more than a weekly salary to expert typewriters who have no knowledge of shorthand.

It is no unusual thing for typewriters to earn at follow work from dictation by stenographers \$2 a week and over, and the finest experts are worth every cent of that amount of money. Among stenographers \$1 an hour is the ruling rate, and for that \$1 a good typewriter with an expert dictator will transcribe from 30 to 40 folios an hour of testimony. In some cases even 40 folios an hour of solid matter have been dictated. Forty folios is two columns of The Sun, and of the men who write about dictating to typewriters as though they knew about it there are probably not half a dozen in the country who can dictate so much.

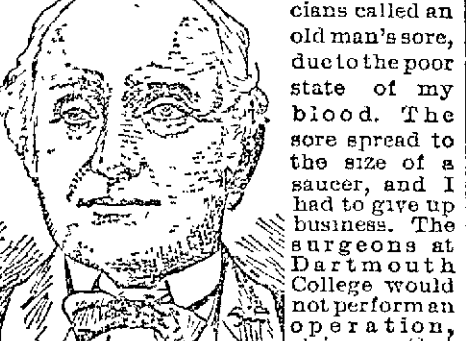
Many years ago the writer was employed as shorthand amanuensis by George Alfred Townsend, well known as "Gath," who habitually dictated to him in shorthand two columns an hour and did it every day in the week two hours a day for months at a time, indicating every full stop, semicolon, quotation mark and paragraph. "Gath" dictates to a typewriter now and has one of the best in the business, no doubt he can dictate from a column and a half to two columns an hour of original matter and the writer knows of no other man who can do that. Of course there are plenty of incompetents who pose as typewriters and who bring the business into discredit by their poor work. For many years the writer has been in contact with expert typewriters in his business as an official stenographer. In view of the many places and situations in which a typewriter is required on the subject of typewriter operators of the feminine gender, it is matter of simple justice to say that the women with whom he has been associated in his business have been without exception well educated, refined, capable of doing rapid and accurate work, who attended strictly to business and did not waste time with frivolous remarks. It seems unfair to judge of any business or profession by the wailings engaged thereon whether the work be large, medium, the ministry, shorthand or typewriting, and anyone who cannot accomplish such a task is not entitled to a good reputation or operator as with a pen is unable to do that either because he does not know how to dictate or because he has an inferior operator. It took just eight minutes to dictate this article to a typewriter who does not claim to special expertness and whose charge was 25 cents.

(The above was not altered in any respect by the editor, and the printers were requested to follow copy. The reader may therefore judge of the accuracy both of the dictator and the typewriter.)—New York Sun.

Dartmouth Professors

Called It Incurable.

"I had a painful ulcer on my ankle, which physicians called an old man's sore, due to the poor state of my blood. The sore spread to the size of a saucer, and I had to give up business. The surgeons at Dartmouth College would not perform an operation, claiming that my advanced age, 78 years, in itself was a barrier, and that only temporary relief could be given. I was pining over my misfortune when a friend urged me to try Hood's Sarsaparilla. I had taken but part of a bottle when the eruption looked more healthy and after taking 6 bottles the sore completely healed, leaving only a scar. Hood's Sarsaparilla also helped my whole system as I have not felt so well for years." JOHN S. CURRIER, West Lebanon, N. H.



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Hood's Pills easy to buy, easy to take, easy in effect. 25c.

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County Butter
AT RETAIL.
Less by the Tub.
-SLOAT'S-
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We are receiving our spring stock of Cloths—all the latest importation. We can show the largest line of samples in the city. Now is the time to leave your orders, so as to have your spring clothes ready when you want them. Mr. Rodgers still continues to please. All are invited to call on

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We carry a very extensive stock in all departments. In general Staple Dry Goods, for daily use, we are particularly strong. In Hosiery, Underwear, Corsets, Fancy Goods and Notions, our lines are large and varied.

Being established on a cash basis, and having the very great advantage of positive knowledge and judgment of fabrics and qualities, we offer special advantage to those who favor us with their trade.

Our stock today is complete, and will delight and gratify by its extent, qualities and prices.

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39 NORTH ST.

Samuel Lipfeld, 25 NORTH ST.

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is your representative. The regards, the acceptance, the note you send is yourself in another form. Viewed in that light are you satisfied with the kind of stationery you are using?

Come in and let us show you all the dainty and correct things we have for polite correspondence. Styles and quality you will be pleased to have represent you anywhere.

Our stock ranges from the cheapest to the choicest, and the best is not expensive.

Hanford & Horton,

6 North Street.

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Child's soft sole shoes, 10c
worth 25 to 50cLadies' Overgaiters, all 38c
sizes, worth 75cLadies' fine kid shoes, \$1.25
worth \$2 to \$3,Men's fine Shoes, cor- 95c
gress and lace,Boys' Button Shoes, 75c
sizes 2 to 5 1/2,

JOHN BRADLEY,

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Fernside Farm and Mills, 6 miles from Newburgh, 14 acres best land, very valuable water power, good saw mill, large grist mill, nice residence, 9 rooms, dining, cellar, etc.; good farm house, 6 rooms; large new barn, poultry house, etc.; etc.; young orchard, 250 barrels last year abundance of berries and small fruits; small lake controlled by property; 3 minutes to church, store, school, postoffice; 20-barth stage passes the house twice daily. Write exchange for Middletown property, or farm near Middletown. Call or address
GARDNER & M'WILLIAMS
75 NORTH ST. MIDDLETOWN.

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Custom Department—Suits made at cost until

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The above bank has a branch office in Middletown, with offices in Central Building, corner North street and Railroad avenue, and are prepared to loan money immediately on good real estate home property, to buy or build homes, to be paid back by monthly installments same as rent.

The above bank also has local branches established in Bloomingburgh, Warwick, Florida, Unionville, Westtown, Johnson, State Hill, Otisville, Port Jervis, Maybrook and Campbell Hall.

For circulars and full information apply or write to L. P. KNICKERBOCKER, Dist. Supt., Central Building, Middletown, N. Y.

For the Next Thirty Days, Previous to Stock Taking

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DAILY ARGUS.

OFFICIAL CITY PAPER.

OPEN EVENINGS.

THE BUSINESS OFFICE OF THE "ARGUS" IS OPEN EVENINGS FROM SEVEN UNTIL MIDNIGHT O'CLOCK.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

BY UNITED PRESS.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26—Fair, colder, Wednesday morning; high northwesterly winds diminishing.

THE TEMPERATURE.

The following was the registry of the thermometer at Frank's drug store, to-day:
7 a. m., 24°; 12 m., 29°; 3 p. m., 30°.

AMUSEMENT AND RECREATION.

—March 1—Aunt Polly Bassett's Singin' Skewl at St. Paul's M. E. Church.
—March 2—Henry's minstrels, at Casino.
—March 7—Illustrated lecture by Mr. Rea, on "The Yosemite and the Yellow Stone," at Second Presbyterian Church.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

—Good second-hand piano wanted.
—Good assortment of cheviot skirts at the New Idea.
—Remnants of last season's carpets cheap at Matthews & Co.
—Furniture to order at Budwig & Co's.
—All kinds of staple dry goods at H. E. Churchill & Co's.
—Fifty packages of butter for sale, this month at C. E. Crawford.
—Sixty-three styles of corsets at Fancher's.
—Henry's minstrel, at Casino, March 21.
—Sugar \$4 1/2 a hundred. See adv. to-morrow.

LIVE LOCAL TOPICS.

—Additional local matter will be found on third page.

—Shrove Tuesday.
—Telegraphers' ball, to-night.
—To-morrow will be Ash Wednesday.

—Mr. "Gus" Pfaff has added an over-bar to his Wallkill House lunch counter.

—The Purim ball will be given at the Assembly Rooms, to-morrow evening.

—Hi Henry's minstrels at the Casino, Saturday night.
—Don't miss the first dance of the telegraphers, at the Assembly Rooms, to-night.

—The engineers of the fire department and foremen of the several companies meet, this evening, at 8 o'clock, at Excelsior's truck house.

—Members of the German Lutheran Church will meet this evening at 8 o'clock at Louis Wengert's store, No. 35 James street. All German's will be welcome.

—Ten years' service badges were presented, last night, to Capt. Tomkins, Surgeon Crispell and Quartermaster Sergeant Van Gassebeck, of the Fourteenth Separate Company, Kingston.

—The Ontario minstrels will repeat their entertainment for the amusement of the patients of the State Hospital, Thursday or Friday evening of this week.

—The sixth match between the 24th Separate Company and Goshen Athletic Club bowling teams will be bowled on the Armory alleys, to-morrow evening.

—Albert F. Chadwick, the Paterson school teacher arrested on a charge of wife beating, pleaded guilty, yesterday, but was discharged by the Justice, who said he was satisfied it was only a little family quarrel.

—William T. Squier, of Newburgh, a son of A. T. Squier, of this city, will, on April 1st, remove his dry goods and millinery business from Newburgh to Nyack.

—The Newburgh Telegram says that aside from the iron and building trades, more people are at work in that city than at any time in eighteen months.

—Capt. Jenkins, of Newburgh, has come into possession of a most interesting relic, the table on which Washington drew the plans of the battle of Trenton. The authenticity of the relic is said to be indisputable.

—Mr. D. C. Truex, of Newburgh, arrived in town, last evening, on his way home from Newton, N. J., where he has been for several days at the bedside of his father, Mr. L. H. Truex, formerly of this city, who has been very low with pneumonia. Mr. Truex's many friends in this city will be pleased to learn that he is now improving, and hopes for his recovery are entertained.

PERSONAL.

—Rev. S. M. Cole, of Bridgeville, Sullivan county, was in town to-day.

—Mr. C. J. Boyd, went to Washington, D. C., to-day, for a few days' visit.

—Mr. H. B. Hulse, the milkman, is again in his house after a week's illness with grip.

—Special County Judge H. B. Fullerton, of Port Jervis, was in town, to-day.

—Mr. and Mrs. T. B. McManus left town, to-day, for their future home at Setauket, L. I.

—Mr. Samuel Brown is very ill at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Brown, at New Hampton.

—Miss Jennie Brink, of Middletown, is visiting at the home of the Misses Burch on High street, near Broadway.—Newburgh News.

—Mr. J. Clark Robertson, who has been confined to his home, No. 27 Myrtle avenue, with a severe attack of the grip, is so much improved that he was on the street yesterday.

—Senator Joseph N. Dolph, of Oregon, who was defeated in the Senatorial contest in the Oregon Legislature, Saturday, is a brother

of Mr. J. M. Dolph, superintendent of the Port Jervis schools. He served two terms in the United States Senate, and would have been re-elected for the third term if he had espoused the cause of free silver.

—Mr. Patrick Rogan is visiting his brother, Mr. J. F. Rogan, in this city. He has just been discharged from a New York hospital where he has been under treatment for two months, for rheumatism and dropsy. His condition was such at one time that his life was despaired of.

ACCIDENT TO A SLEIGHING PARTY.

An Upset Which Results in a Serious Injury to James F. Dolson.

A party of young people took a sleigh ride, last night, their destination being the residence of Mr. H. H. Blanchard, at Fair Oaks.

All went well until they had reached this city on the return trip. When near the school house on Linden avenue the sleigh upset, throwing out all of the occupants, all of whom escaped unhurt or with trifling injuries except Mr. James F. Dolson, son of Mr. R. H. Dolson, who sustained a serious injury to the left shoulder.

The accident happened about 2 o'clock this morning. The young man was taken to his home and a physician was called to attend him.

It was at first supposed the shoulder blade was broken, but the parts were so badly swollen when the physician arrived that it was impossible to determine the exact nature of the injury, which it is thought may be in the joint.

MCQUOID ENGINE COMPANY'S BALL.

The Twenty-second Annual Terpu-chorean Event a Decided Success in Every Respect.

The twenty-second annual ball of McQuoid Engine Co. No. 3, was held at the Casino, last evening, and in every respect it was equal to those given in former years and fully sustained the reputation of the company as a social organization as well as a fighter of fire.

The attendance was very large, the estimate of the number present made by some, being over two hundred. The members of the company appeared in full uniform and many very handsome dresses were worn by the ladies, and the scene on the floor when dancing commenced was a brilliant one.

Colwell's orchestra furnished the music and dancing was kept up until about 3 o'clock, this morning.

At midnight supper was served in the banquet hall by Thomas Fallon and it is but justice to him to say that no finer one has been served in the hall on such an occasion. Over one hundred persons sat down at the tables.

Much of the success of the ball was due to the efforts of the committees in charge, which were as follows:

Floor Manager—James Short.
Aides—J. E. Lawder, John S. Farrell, P. J. Riley, Thomas Gillen.
Reception Committee—D. Schmitt, James Gavin, J. J. Nolan, Thomas Farrell, William Pohlman.
Committee of Arrangements—Frank Chittman, Daniel Schmitt, Peter Short, Michael Hoey, P. J. Reilly.

MONHAGEN'S SOCIABLE.

The Last of the Season and a Pleasant Affair.

The last of the series of Monhagen's sociables was held last evening, and was attended by twenty-five members of the company and their wives and sweethearts, who spent a delightful evening playing cards and dancing to the music of Halstead's orchestra.

Refreshments were served during the evening by the committee in charge—Messrs. George K. Wilkin, E. S. Merrill, J. H. Conkling, D. W. Lunsberry and W. B. Ketcham.

The festivities were kept up until 1 o'clock this morning.

OBITUARY.

Mrs. Joanna Rebecca Reed.

Mrs. Joanna Rebecca Reed died suddenly of heart disease at the parsonage of Trinity M. E. Church, in Newburgh, Saturday night. She was the mother of Rev. Dr. John J. Reed, pastor of Trinity Church, who was one of the committee of ministers who conducted the Darwood trial in this city.

Mr. Stivers' Will Probated.

The will of the late M. D. Stivers was admitted to probate, this morning, by Surrogate Coleman, in Goshen. It was executed in 1873, and Mrs. Stivers, to whom the whole estate is left, is named as sole executrix. Messrs. Daniel Finn and Daniel F. Seward are the witnesses, and T. N. Little, Esq., was the attorney.

Rheumatism Cured.

Rheumatism is caused by lactic acid in the blood attacking the fibrous tissues of the joints. Keep your blood pure and healthy and you will not have rheumatism. Hood's Sarsaparilla gives the blood vitality and richness and tones the whole body, neutralizes the acidity of the blood and thus cures rheumatism.

HOOD'S PILLS are the best after-dinner pills, assist digestion, cure headache.

Go to the C. E. Crawford Furniture Co. for your sewing machines. Get the Wheeler and Wilson new No. 2. Best on earth. dtoJu26

AT THE COUNTY SEAT.

INCIDENTS AND HAPPENINGS IN GOSHEN.

"A Lesson in Love"—Funeral of Miss Johnson—Canvassing for Votes—Bowling Match—Change of Turnkeys at the Jail—Festival—The Library's Quarters—A Birthday Party.

From Our Regular Correspondent

—A large audience attended the three act comedy, "A Lesson in Love," given in Music Hall, last night. All the characters were well taken. The entertainment was a most pleasing one from beginning to end. At the close of the performance the floor of the hall was cleared and to the strains of Berg's orchestra, dancing commenced and continued the remainder of the evening. Quite a number from Middletown were present.

—The funeral of Miss Caroline Johnson was held at her late residence in this village, at 2 o'clock, this afternoon.

—The condition of Mr. James O'Connor, of the Erin Hotel, who has been sick for some time, remains about the same.

—A fish market is being erected adjoining the business place of Clark & May on Greenwich street.

—Candidates for town offices are on the alert for votes, and they do not miss an opportunity of "boning" their friends to "give 'em a lift."

—A bowling match between the "Beauties" and the "Reubens" will take place at the Goshen Club rooms to-morrow night.

—Mr. Alex. Vandermark, the turnkey at the Goshen jail, will resign that position on March 1st, and take a job in an ice cream factory in Kingston. Mr. Benjamin Hull, of the town of Wawayanda, will take Mr. Vandermark's place at the Court House.

—A festival will be given in St. John's Hall, to-night, under the auspices of the young people of St. John's Church. Tickets, including dancing, fifty cents each.

—It is now definitely settled that the Goshen Library Association will have quarters in the upper story of the old Surrogate's building.

—March 11th is the date set for the "Birthday Party" of the Young Ladies' Missionary Society of the Presbyterian Church. It will take place in the church chapel on the afternoon of that day.

IN ANCIENT GOSHEN.

"A Lesson in Love"—A List of Lenten Services—Other Local Notes of Interest.

From a special correspondent

—The three act comedy, "A Lesson in Love," was given at Music Hall, last evening, with the following cast: Captain Freeman, Mr. H. C. Duryea; Captain Miller, Mr. H. C. Wyker; Mr. Benjamin Babblebrook, Mr. John Sweeney; Mrs. Leona Sutherland, Miss Antonette Sayer; Miss Anastasia Winterberry, Miss Alice Neafie; Mrs. Leslie, Miss Harriet Burt.

The ladies and gentlemen who took part in the play sustained the reputation they have already acquired in similar entertainments. Miss Antonette Sayer took the part of the fascinating widow, Mrs. Sutherland, very charmingly. Miss Burt made a most attractive ingenue. Messrs. Wyker and Duryea sustained their respective parts acceptably, and Miss Neafie and Mr. Sweeney as Miss Anastasia Winterberry and Mr. Benjamin Babblebrook covered themselves with glory. After the conclusion of the play the floor was cleared for dancing, and thus ended one of the pleasantest of the many pleasant entertainments given under the auspices of the Guild.

—Lenten services will be held at St. James's Church, on Ash Wednesday, as follows: Morning prayer and celebration of the holy communion at 10.30 a. m. and evening prayer at 7.30 p. m. During the Lenten season services will be held in the church every afternoon at 5 o'clock, except on Thursday, when it will be held at 7.30 p. m. Services will also be held Wednesday and Friday mornings at 9.30 a. m.

—Mr. and Mrs. Campbell Steward, of New York, spent Sunday at the St. Elmo Hotel in this village.

—Mr. Thomas Evans, of New York, and Professor Smith, of Princeton, have been spending a few days with friends in this village.

—The regular monthly meeting of St. James's Guild will be held in the chapel, on Tuesday afternoon, at 4 o'clock. G. H.

A Brakeman's Narrow Escape.

Erie Brakeman Patrick Devers was applying the brake at Lordville, Saturday evening, when his brake staff broke and he fell between the cars of the moving train. He managed to grasp a projecting piece of iron in his fall, and held on until the train stopped, and was thus saved from an awful death.

The Modern Invalid.

Has tastes medicinally, in keeping with other luxuries. A remedy must be pleasantly acceptable in form, purely wholesome in composition, truly beneficial in effect and entirely free from every objectionable quality. If really ill he consults a physician; if constipated he uses the gentle family laxative Syrup of Figs.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

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ONE MORE UNFORTUNATE.

Letters Which Indicate That a Deckertown Girl Killed Herself in New York.

A young woman known as Lucy Shafter committed suicide in New York, yesterday, because Paddie McGuirk, with whom she lived, had threatened to leave her. In her trunk were found two letters, one dated Nov. 12th, and addressed to Mrs. Mattie Agars, Deckertown, N. J., and another dated Feb. 15th, addressed to Lucy Coddington, Deckertown, which for some reason had not been posted. The letters were signed "Mrs. Mart Lucy Brown." In the one addressed to Mrs. Agars was an inquiry concerning the writer's parents, which is thought to mean that the girl formerly lived in Deckertown.

VERY LIBERAL PURSES.

Offered by the Driving Park Association for Its Fall Meeting.

The fall meeting of the Middletown Fair and Driving Park Association will be held at the Campbell track, September 10, 11, 12 and 13. The association will offer about \$5,000 in stakes and class races, and every effort will be made to insure the success of the meeting.

There are three stake races, the entries to which close May 7, 1895, under the following conditions:

Stake No. 1, (two-year-olds) \$150; for trotting foals of 1893. Eligible to 3:00 class; 5 per cent. entrance; \$3 May 7th, when stake closes; \$3 June 7th; \$2 July 7th; \$2 August 26th; mile heats; best two in three.

Stake No. 2, (three-year-olds) \$200; for trotting foals 1892. Eligible to 2:50 class; 5 per cent. entrance; \$3 May 7th, when stake closes; \$3 June 7th; \$2 July 7th; \$2 August 26th; mile heats; best three in five.

Stake No. 3, (four-year-olds) \$200; for trotting foals of 1891. Eligible to 2:40 class; 5 per cent. entrance; \$3 May 7th, when stake closes; \$3 June 7th; \$2 July 7th; \$2 August 26th; mile heats; best three in five.

All communications should be addressed to W. F. Royce, secretary.

THE THEATRE HAT.

How a Woman Got Rid of One that Obstructed Her View.

One night last week, during the carnival in Port Jervis, a lady in the audience who didn't happen to wear a big hat at the time but sat directly behind another woman who did, and she was unable to see the stage.

A man would have submitted and strained his neck in attempting to get an occasional view of the performers.

No so, this lady, however. She had paid to see the performance, and she was going to see it.

She wrote a note to the manager, requesting him to ask all the ladies in the audience to take off their hats. He did so, and off came the hats, and the lady smiled her satisfaction as she realized that she had accomplished more with her little note than Assemblyman Cutler was able to do with his little legislative bill.

MANY YEARS OF WEDDED LIFE.

Mr. and Mrs. James N. Prank Celebrate the Fifty-fourth Anniversary of Their Marriage.

Mr. and Mrs. James N. Prank were married fifty-four years ago, yesterday. They were given a pleasant reminder of the event, last evening, by a visit from all of their children except one. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Prank, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Carson, Mr. and Mrs. F. P. S. Crane and Mr. F. A. R. Prank, of this city, and Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Tate, of Warwick.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Prank will unite in the wish of the Argus that they may live to see many returns of their anniversary.

To have perfect health you must have pure blood, and the best way to have pure blood is to take Hood's Sarsaparilla.

For dyspepsia try McMonagle & Rogers' Peppin Essence.

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While They are Going.

Our special sales stimulate the trade during the dull season.

Tuesday and Wednesday Special Sale from 9 to 11 a. m.

One case Glass Toweling, plaid, at 8c a yard.

One bale Heavy Unbleached Muslin at 4c a yard.

One case Outing Cloth, regular 8c quality, at 4 1/2c a yard.

Three 10c Cotton Batts for 18c.

New spring goods coming in daily—Dress Goods, Silks, Carpets, Draperies, Shirt Waists and Wrappers.

Silks for waists from 25 cts up.

Another lot of Silks at 29c a yard.

Wash Goods—all the new fabrics for wash dresses and waists.

New "Court Royal Piques," Dimities, Lawns, Jaconettes, etc.

Do not miss seeing our new goods.

Notice our north window. Full of 8c Percales at 6c a yard.

Bond tickets with all cash purchases.

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BIRNEY'S Catarrh Powder.

The new cure for catarrh, cold in the head, sore throat, etc.

DO YOU KNOW OF IT? In powder form, neat and compact, can be carried in the vest pocket. Price, complete, powder and blower, sufficient for six weeks' treatment, 50 cts. We are agents for it.

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5 PER CENT. BONDS FREE

to each of our customers. These bonds are profit sharing. The holder receives cash receipts (or checks) to the amount of his purchase and these checks, at maturity are redeemed at 5 per cent IN CASH.

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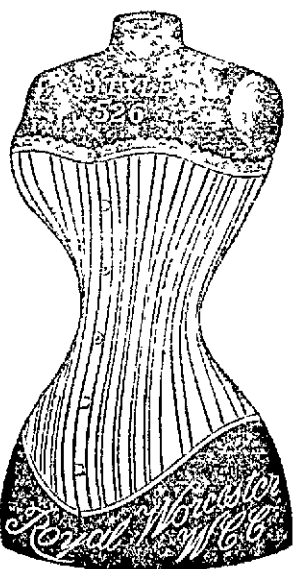
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OFFICIAL CITY PAPER.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

BY UNITED PRESS.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26—Fair, colder, Wednesday morning; high northwesterly winds diminishing.

THE TEMPERATURE.

The following was the registry of the thermometer at Frank's drug store, to-day:
7 a. m., 24°; 12 m., 29°; 3 p. m., 30°.

AMUSEMENT AND RECREATION.

—March 1—Aunt Polly Bassett's Singin' Skew, at St. Paul's N. E. Church.
—March 2—Henry's minstrels, at Casino.
—March 7—Illustrated picture by Mr. Beeson, on "The Yosemite and the Yellow Stone," at Second Presbyterian Church.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

—Good second-hand piano, wanted.
—Good assortment of cheap skirts at the New Idea.
—Remnants of last season's carpets cheap at Matthews & Co.
—Pants to order at Budwig & Co's.
—A kind of staple dry goods at H. E. Churchill & Co's.
—Fifty packages of butter for sale, this month, at C. N. Friedman & Son's.
—Sixty-three styles of corsets at Fancher's.
—Henry's minstrels, at Casino, March 2.
—Sugar \$10 a hundred. See adv to-morrow.

LIVE LOCAL TOPICS.

—Additional local matter will be found on third page.

—Shrove Tuesday.
—Telegraphers' ball, to-night.

—To-morrow will be Ash Wednesday.

—Mr. "Gus" Pfaff has added an over-bar to his Wallkill House lunch counter.

—The Purim ball will be given at the Assembly Rooms, to-morrow evening.

—Hi Henry's minstrels at the Casino, Saturday night.

—Don't miss the first dance of the telegraphers, at the Assembly Rooms, to-night.

—The engineers of the fire department and foremen of the several companies meet, this evening, at 8 o'clock, at Excelsior's truck house.

—Members of the German Lutheran Church will meet this evening at 8 o'clock at Louis Wergemuth's store, No. 33 James street. All German's will be welcome.

—Ten years' service badges were presented, last night, to Capt. Tompkins, Surgeon Crispell and Quartermaster Sergeant Van Gassbeck, of the Fourteenth Separate Company, Kingston.

—The Ontario minstrels will repeat their entertainment for the amusement of the patients of the State Hospital, Thursday or Friday evening of this week.

—The sixth match between the 24th Separate Company and Goshen Athletic Club bowling teams will be bowled on the Armory alleys, to-morrow evening.

—Albert F. Chadwick, the Paterson school teacher arrested on a charge of wife beating, pleaded guilty, yesterday, but was discharged by the Justice, who said he was satisfied it was only a little family quarrel.

—William T. Squier, of Newburgh, a son of A. T. Squier, of this city, will, on April 1st, remove his dry goods and millinery business from Newburgh to Nyack.

—The Newburgh Telegram says that aside from the iron and building trades, more people are at work in that city than at any time in eighteen months.

—Capt. Jenkins, of Newburgh, has come into possession of a most interesting relic, the table on which Washington drew the plans of the battle of Trenton. The authenticity of the relic is said to be indisputable.

—Mr. D. C. Truex, of Newburgh, arrived in town, last evening, on his way home from Newton, N. J., where he has been for several days at the bedside of his father, Mr. L. H. Truex, formerly of this city, who has been very low with pneumonia. Mr. Truex's many friends in this city will be pleased to learn that he is now improving, and hopes for his recovery are entertained.

PERSONAL.

—Rev. S. M. Cole, of Bridgeville, Sullivan county, was in town to-day.

—Mr. C. J. Boyd, went to Washington, D. C., to-day, for a few days' visit.

—Mr. H. B. Hulso, the milkman, is again on his route after a week's illness with grip.

—Special County Judge H. B. Fullerton, of Port Jervis, was in town, to-day.

—Mr. and Mrs. T. B. McManus left town, to-day, for their future home at Setauket, L. I.

—Mr. Samuel Brown is very ill at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Brown, at New Hampton.

—Miss Jennie Brink, of Middletown, is visiting at the home of the Misses Burch on High street, near Broadway.—Newburgh News.

—Mr. J. Clark Robertson, who has been confined to his home, No. 27 Myrtle avenue, with a severe attack of the grip, is so much improved that he was on the street yesterday.

—Senator Joseph N. Dolph, of Oregon, who was defeated in the Senatorial contest in the Oregon Legislature, Saturday, is a brother

of Mr. J. M. Dolph, superintendent of the Port Jervis schools. He served two terms in the United States Senate, and would have been re-elected for the third term if he had espoused the cause of free silver.

—Mr. Patrick Ryan is visiting his brother, Mr. J. F. Ryan, in this city. He has just been discharged from a New York hospital where he has been under treatment for two months, for rheumatism and dropsy. His condition was such at one time that his life was despaired of.

ACCIDENT TO A SLEIGHING PARTY.

An Upset Which Results in a Serious Injury to James F. Dolson.

A party of young people took a sleigh ride, last night, their destination being the residence of Mr. H. H. Blanchard, at Fair Oaks.

All went well until they had reached this city on the return trip. When near the school house on Linden avenue the sleigh upset, throwing out all of the occupants, all of whom escaped unhurt or with trifling injuries except Mr. James F. Dolson, son of Mr. R. H. Dolson, who sustained a serious injury to the left shoulder.

The accident happened about 2 o'clock this morning. The young man was taken to his home and a physician was called to attend him.

It was at first supposed the shoulder blade was broken, but the parts were so badly swollen when the physician arrived that it was impossible to determine the exact nature of the injury, which it is thought may be in the joint.

MCQUOID ENGINE COMPANY'S BALL.

The Twenty-Second Annual Terptichorean Event a Decided Success in Every Respect.

The twenty-second annual ball of McQuoid Engine Co. No. 3, was held at the Casino, last evening, and in every respect it was equal to those given in former years and fully sustained the reputation of the company as a social organization as well as a fighter of fire.

The attendance was very large, the estimate of the number present made by some, being over two hundred. The members of the company appeared in full uniform and many very handsome dresses were worn by the ladies, and the scene on the floor when dancing commenced was a brilliant one.

Colwell's orchestra furnished the music and dancing was kept up until about 3 o'clock, this morning.

At midnight supper was served in the banquet hall by Thomas Fallon and it is but justice to him to say that no finer one has been served in the hall on such an occasion. Over one hundred persons sat down at the tables.

Much of the success of the ball was due to the efforts of the committees in charge, which were as follows:

Floor Manager—James Short.
Aids—J. H. Lawder, John S. Farrell, P. J. Riley, Thomas Gillen.
Reception Committee—D. Schmitt, James Gavin, J. J. Nolan, Thomas Farrell, William Pohlman.
Committee of Arrangements—Frank Cullinan, Daniel Schmitt, Peter Short, Michael Hoey, P. J. Reilly.

MONHAGEN'S SOCIABLE.

The Last of the Season and a Pleasant Affair.

The last of the series of Monhagen's sociables was held last evening, and was attended by twenty-five members of the company and their wives and sweethearts, who spent a delightful evening playing cards and dancing to the music of Halstead's orchestra.

Refreshments were served during the evening by the committee in charge—Messrs. George K. Wilkin, E. S. Merrill, J. H. Conking, D. W. Lounsbury and W. B. Ketcham.

The festivities were kept up until 1 o'clock this morning.

OBITUARY.

Mrs. Joanna Rebecca Reed.

Mrs. Joanna Rebecca Reed died suddenly of heart disease at the parsonage of Trinity M. E. Church, in Newburgh, Saturday night. She was the mother of Rev. Dr. John J. Reed, pastor of Trinity Church, who was one of the committee of ministers who conducted the Darwood trial in this city.

Mr. Stivers' Will Probated.

The will of the late M. D. Stivers was admitted to probate, this morning, by Surrogate Coleman, in Goshen. It was executed in 1873, and Mrs. Stivers, to whom the whole estate is left, is named as sole executrix. Messrs. Daniel Finn and Daniel F. Seward are the witnesses, and T. N. Little, Esq., was the attorney.

Rheumatism Cured.

Rheumatism is caused by lactic acid in the blood attacking the fibrous tissues of the joints. Keep your blood pure and healthy and you will not have rheumatism. Hood's Sarsaparilla gives the blood vitality and richness and tones the whole body, neutralizes the acidity of the blood and thus cures rheumatism.

HOOD'S PILLS are the best after-dinner pills, assist digestion, cure headache.

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AT THE COUNTY SEAT.

INCIDENTS AND HAPPENINGS IN GOSHEN.

"A Lesson in Love"—Funeral of Miss Johnson—Canvassing for Votes—Bowling Match—Change of Turnkeys at the Jail—Festival—The Library's Quarters—A Birthday Party.

From Our Regular Correspondent

—A large audience attended the three act comedy, "A Lesson in Love," given in Music Hall, last night. All the characters were well taken. The entertainment was a most pleasing one from beginning to end. At the close of the performance the floor of the hall was cleared and to the strains of Berg's orchestra, dancing commenced and continued the remainder of the evening. Quite a number from Middletown were present.

—The funeral of Miss Caroline Johnson was held at her late residence in this village, at 2 o'clock, this afternoon.

—The condition of Mr. James O'Connor, of the Erin Hotel, who has been sick for some time, remains about the same.

—A fish market is being erected adjoining the business place of Clark & May on Greenwich street.

—Candidates for town offices are on the alert for votes, and they do not miss an opportunity of "boning" their friends to "give 'em a lift."

—A bowling match between the "Beauties" and the "Reubens" will take place at the Goshen Club rooms to-morrow night.

—Mr. Alex. Vandermark, the turnkey at the Goshen jail, will resign that position on March 1st, and take a job in an ice cream factory in Kingston. Mr. Benjamin Hull, of the town of Wawayanda, will take Mr. Vandermark's place at the Court House.

—A festival will be given in St. John's Hall, to-night, under the auspices of the young people of St. John's Church. Tickets, including dancing, fifty cents each.

—It is now definitely settled that the Goshen Library Association will have quarters in the upper story of the old Surrogate's building.

—March 11th is the date set for the "Birthday Party" of the Young Ladies' Missionary Society of the Presbyterian Church. It will take place in the church chapel on the afternoon of that day.

IN ANCIENT GOSHEN.

"A Lesson in Love"—A List of Lenten Services—Other Local Notes of Interest.

From a special correspondent

—The three act comedy, "A Lesson in Love," was given at Music Hall, last evening, with the following cast: Captain Freeman.....Mr. H. C. Duryea
Orlando Midgton.....Mr. H. C. Wyker
Mr. Benjamin Babblerbrook.....Mr. John Sweezy
Mrs. Lenora Babblerbrook.....Miss Antonette Sayer
Miss Anastasia Winterberry.....Miss Alice Neale
Mr. Squire.....Miss Harriet Bart

The ladies and gentlemen who took part in the play sustained the reputation they have already acquired in similar entertainments. Miss Antoinette Sayer took the part of the fascinating widow, Mrs. Sutherland, very charmingly. Miss Burt made a most attractive ingenue, Messrs. Wyker and Duryea sustained their respective parts acceptably, and Miss Neale and Mr. Sweezy as Miss Anastasia Winterberry and Mr. Benjamin Babblerbrook covered themselves with glory. After the conclusion of the play the floor was cleared for dancing, and thus ended one of the pleasantest of the many pleasant entertainments given under the auspices of the Guild.

—Lenten services will be held at St. James's Church, on Ash Wednesday, as follows: Morning prayer and celebration of the holy communion at 10.30 a. m. and evening prayer at 7.30 p. m. During the Lenten season services will be held in the church every afternoon at 5 o'clock, except on Thursday, when it will be held at 7.30 p. m. Services will also be held Wednesday and Friday mornings at 9.30 a. m.

—Mr. and Mrs. Campbell Steward, of New York, spent Sunday at the St. Elmo Hotel in this village.

—Mr. Thomas Evans, of New York, and Professor Smith, of Princeton, have been spending a few days with friends in this village.

—The regular monthly meeting of St. James's Guild will be held in the chapel, on Tuesday afternoon, at 4 o'clock.

A Brakeman's Narrow Escape.

Erie Brakeman Patrick Devers was applying the brake at Lordville, Saturday evening, when his brake staff broke and he fell between the cars of the moving train. He managed to grasp a projecting piece of iron in his fall, and held on until the train stopped, and was thus saved from an awful death.

The Modern Invalid.

Has tastes medicinally, in keeping with other luxuries. A remedy must be pleasantly acceptable in form, purely wholesome in composition, truly beneficial in effect and entirely free from every objectionable quality. If really ill he consults a physician; if constipated he uses the gentle family laxative Syrup of Figs.

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Letters Which Indicate That a Deckertown Girl Killed Herself in New York.

A young woman known as Lucy Shafer committed suicide in New York, yesterday, because Paddie McGuirk, with whom she lived, had threatened to leave her. In her trunk were found two letters, one dated Nov. 12th, and addressed to Mrs. Mattie Agars, Deckertown, N. J., and another dated Feb. 15th, addressed to Lucy Coddington, Deckertown, which for some reason had not been posted. The letters were signed "Mrs. Mart Lucy Brown." In the one addressed to Mrs. Agars was an inquiry concerning the writer's parents, which is thought to mean that the girl formerly lived in Deckertown.

VERY LIBERAL PURSES.

Offered by the Driving Park Association for Its Fall Meeting.

The fall meeting of the Middletown Fair and Driving Park Association will be held at the Campbell track, September 10, 11, 12 and 13. The association will offer about \$5,000 in stakes and class races, and every effort will be made to insure the success of the meeting.

There are three stake races, the entries to which close May 7, 1895, under the following conditions:

Stake No. 1, (two-year-olds) \$150; for trotting foals of 1893. Eligible to 3:50 class; 5 per cent. entrance; \$3 May 7th, when stake closes; \$3 June 7th; \$2 July 7th; \$2 August 26th; mile heats; best two in three.

Stake No. 2, (three-year-olds) \$200; for trotting foals of 1892. Eligible to 2:50 class; 5 per cent. entrance; \$3 May 7th, when stake closes; \$3 June 7th; \$2 July 7th; \$2 August 26th; mile heats; best three in five.

Stake No. 3, (four-year-olds) \$200; for trotting foals of 1891. Eligible to 2:40 class; 5 per cent. entrance; \$3 May 7th, when stake closes; \$3 June 7th; \$2 July 7th; \$2 August 26th; mile heats; best three in five.

All communications should be addressed to W. F. Boyce, secretary.

THE THEATRE HAT.

How a Woman Got Rid of One that Obscured Her View.

One night last week, during the carnival in Port Jervis, a lady in the audience who didn't happen to wear a big hat at the time but sat directly behind another woman who did, and she was unable to see the stage.

A man would have submitted and strained his neck in attempting to get an occasional view of the performers.

No so, this lady, however. She had paid to see the performance, and she was going to see it.

She wrote a note to the manager, requesting him to ask all the ladies in the audience to take off their hats. He did so, and off came the hats, and the lady smiled her satisfaction as she realized that she had accomplished more with her little note than Assemblyman Cutler was able to do with his little legislative bill.

MANY YEARS OF WEDDED LIFE.

Mr. and Mrs. James N. Pronk Celebrate the Fifty-fourth Anniversary of Their Marriage.

Mr. and Mrs. James N. Pronk were married fifty-four years ago, yesterday. They were given a pleasant reminder of the event, last evening, by a visit from all of their children except one. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Pronk, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Carson, Mr. and Mrs. F. P. S. Crane and Mr. F. A. R. Pronk, of this city, and Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Tate, of Warwick.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Pronk will unite in the wish of the Ancest that they may live to see many returns of their anniversary.

To have perfect health you must have pure blood, and the best way to have pure blood is to take Hood's Sarsaparilla.

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One bale Heavy Unbleached Muslin at 4c a yard.

One case Oving Cloth, regular 8c quality, at 4½c a yard

Three 10c Cotton Batts for 19c.

New spring goods coming in daily—Dress Goods, Silks, Carpets, Draperies, Shirt Waists and Wrappers.

Silks for waists from 25 cts up.

Another lot of Silks at 29c a yard

Wash Goods—all the new fabrics for wash dresses and waists.

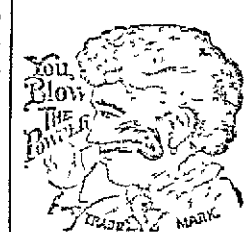
New "Court Royal Piques," Dimities, Lawns, Jaconettes, etc.

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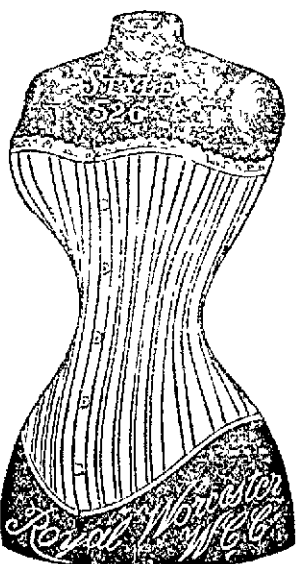
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LOCAL NOMINATIONS.

Candidates for Town Offices Nominated by Democratic and Republican Conventions.

In Montgomery, Saturday, the Democrats nominated a full ticket, with Everett Brown for Collector and Thomas Barker for Assessor. The Republicans named Ward Winfield, editor of the *Standard*, for Collector, and filled up the other places on the ticket with selections from the faithful. The Prohibitionists nominated Ferris Hulse for Collector, William Andrews for Justice, and J. Evans for Assessor.

The fight over Excise Commissioner in Montgomery, which will be a lively one, will be between Dr. Faulkner, of Walden, nominated by the Republicans as a license man, and Samuel Lemoyne, a member of the present Board, who was renominated by the Prohibitionists.

The Republicans of Crawford, Saturday, made the following nominations:

Justice of the Peace—John E. Dur-

yea.

Collector—James W. Weller.

Assessor—John L. McKinney.

Overseers of the Poor—Thomas H. Baker, Ethelbert L. Billings.

Constables—Edward A. Boyce, Theodore Tilton, Robert S. Coover.

Inspectors of Election—First District, Jeremiah E. Barnes, Lewis W. Devo; Second District, John M. McEwan, Frank Wheeler.

Game Constable—E. B. Baker.

The Republicans of Minisink have determined to masquerade behind a citizens' ticket again this spring.

The following ticket has been nominated:

Justice—John H. Borland.

Assessor—Walter Manning.

Overseers of the Poor—George D. Gorman, Joseph Scott.

Constables—Sylvester Keepers, Henry L. Miller, John Decker, Sr., and George Decker.

Game Constable—Wm. S. Lait.

Inspectors of Election—Geo. Brinkhoff, Dr. Wm. Evans.

Excise Commissioner—Addison Clark.

Mr. Clark is a limited license candidate and, if elected, will vote to license one hotel in Unionville and one in Westtown, and against all other hotels and saloons.

The Democrats of Mamakating have nominated George Harding for Collector, O. F. Winter for Assessor, A. T. McEwan for Commissioner of Highways.

The Republicans have nominated George Schoonmaker for Collector, W. S. Philcox and Charles Hultsander for Assessors, and G. O. Collier for Commissioner of Highways.

The Republicans of Mount Hope have made the following nominations:

Justice—William Hill.

Assessor—Hector Turbill.

Commissioner of Highways—Theodore Bennett.

Overseer of Poor—Thomas McClurg.

Inspectors—John Pierson, Lewis Krum.

Constables—J. H. Northrup, Thos. McClurg, John Jump.

Game Constable—Augustus Cranee.

Excise Commissioner—Henry Reeves.

Sealer of Weights and Measures—J. W. VanDuzer.

At the convention of the Republicans of the town of Walkkill, at Oriskany, yesterday afternoon, the following nominations were made:

Justice—N. B. Mapee.

Collector—Albert Mapee.

Assessor—William M. Dunning.

Commissioner of Highways—John Gillen.

Game Constable—Emmett L. Bull.

Constables—John McEnroth, D. W. Drake, Henry Crabbe, Emmett L. Bull, Emmett K. Travis.

Inspectors—First District, John C. Wilbur, Jr., J. H. Dunning; Second District, A. T. Berthoff, George E. Corwin; Third District, Benjamin F. Van Fleet, George B. Wallace.

The Democrats of Wawayanda nominated the following ticket, Saturday:

Justice—Thomas M. Brome.

Assessor—D. W. Reeve.

Collector—John Everett.

Overseer of Poor—Katie Skinner.

Game Constable—James Stewart.

Constable—Moses Ferguson.

Inspectors of Election—First District, James McVey, Abram H. Dorcas.

The Republicans of Wawayanda nominated the following ticket, Monday:

Justice—Reuben C. Mead.

Assessor—R. Emmet Mills.

Collector—Silas C. Brown.

Overseer of Poor—Dr. W. C. Terry.

Game Constable—James Stewart.

Constables—Jefferson Lynch, Gilbert Robbins, Wm. M. Shoemaker, James Smith, L. A. Brundage.

Inspectors of Election—First District, Joseph S. Dunning, R. V. Ryerson; Second District, John R. Taylor, Ezra Finch.

The fight in Wawayanda will be between Martin Bennett, of South Centerville, the no-license candidate, and DeWitt Carr, of Gardenville, who favors license. The vote is expected to be close.

The Democrats of Minisink have placed in nomination the following excellent ticket:

Justice—John Borland.

Collector—W. R. Rosenberns.

Assessor—Walter Manning.

Overseer of the Poor—James E. Wherry.

Constables—James E. Wherry, Sylvester Keepers, Silas C. Martine, Joshua H. Reeves, Abram Neill.

Game Constable—Amos C. Keepers.

Inspectors of Election—J. Floyd Fairbank, Robert H. Clark.

Commissioner of Excise—Charles H. Tuthill.

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Justice—John H. Borland.

Assessor—Walter Manning.

Overseers of the Poor—James E. Wherry, Sylvester Keepers, Silas C. Martine, Joshua H. Reeves, Abram Neill.

Game Constable—Amos C. Keepers.

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The Cough Cure positively cures bronchitis, tickling in the throat, hoarseness, loss of voice, soreness of the chest, difficulty in breathing, hacking cough and all pulmonary diseases where the lungs are not too far decomposed or covered with tubercles.

If you are ailing step into the nearest drug store and get a 25c. vial of one of Munyon's Remedies. No matter what your disease, or how many doctors have failed to cure, it will give you relief.

Those who are in doubt as to the nature of their disease should address Professor Munyon, 1505 Arch street, Philadelphia, giving full symptoms of their disease. Professor Munyon will carefully diagnose the case and give you the benefit of his advice absolutely free of all charge. The remedies will be sent to any address on receipt of retail price.

GRACE CHURCH LENTEN SERVICES.

Announcement of Services During the Penitential season—Special Services.

Rev. David Evans, rector of Grace Church, has arranged for services during the Lenten season, as follows:

WEDNESDAY.

10 a. m.—Morning prayer, litany and penitential office.

7:15 p. m.—Evening prayer and sermon.

HOLY WEEK.

Monday, 10 a. m.—Holy communion.

Tuesday, 10 a. m.—Holy communion.

Wednesday, 4:30 p. m.—Evening prayer.

Thursday, 10 a. m.—Morning prayer.

Thursday, 7:30 p. m.—Holy communion.

Friday, 10 a. m.—Morning prayer and sermon.

Friday, 12:30 and 3 p. m.—Meditation on last words.

Friday, 7:30 p. m.—Evening prayer and sermon.

Saturday, 10 a. m.—Ante-communion.

Saturday, 4 p. m.—Baptismal service.

EASTER SUNDAY.

6:30 a. m.—Holy communion.

11:30 a. m.—Morning prayer, sermon and holy communion.

3 p. m.—Sunday school carol service.

7:30 p. m.—Evening prayer and sermon.

On all other days in Lent, except Thursdays and Saturdays, morning prayer will be said at 8:30, and evening prayer, with address or devotion-reading, at 1:30. On Thursdays in Lent there will be a celebration of the holy communion at 9:30 a. m., and evening prayer with sermon by special preachers, at 7:30.

SPECIAL PREACHERS.

Rev. E. A. Bradley, D. D., Rector of St. Agnes Chapel, New York.

Rev. Hubert W. Wells, M. A., Assistant at Grace Church, New York.

Rev. David T. Howell, Rector of Christ Church, Warwick.

Rev. M. G. Thompson, M. A., Assistant at Holy Trinity Church, New York.

Rev. Marion Law, Assistant at Holy Trinity Church, New York.

Charges Against Broome County's District Attorney.

Charges have been preferred to the Governor against District Attorney William D. Painter, of Broome county, because of his alleged refusal to allow Bank Examiner Backus to go before the Grand Jury and present evidence against the parties who were connected with the defalcation in the Chenango Valley Savings Bank.

The Hatching Trade in Fishkill.

Fishkill Correspondence of the *Newburgh Telegram*.

The hatching business is picking up. Maee's shop has started in full time, after a three weeks' rest. The girls in the straw department of Carroll's have had last year's wages restored, and the straw trade was never so booming as at present.

A HOUSEHOLD TREASURE.

D. W. Fuller, of Canajoharie, N. Y., says that he always keeps Dr. King's New Discovery in the house and his family has always found the very best results follow its use; that he would not be without it, if procurable G. A. Dykeman, Druggist, Catskill, N. Y., says that Dr. King's New Discovery is undoubtedly the best Cough remedy; that he has used it in his family for eight years, and it has never failed to do all that is claimed for it. Why not try a remedy so long tried and tested. Trial bottles free at McMonagle and Rogers' Drug store. Regular size 50c. and \$1.00.

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WANTED—A good second-hand piano. Call or address with price, Mrs. C. H. DAVIS, 17 Sprague avenue.

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FOR RENT Six rooms and bath-room, on second floor. Enquire at 121 and 123 Railroad avenue. 60d1f

FOR RENT—The building recently occupied by S. J. Masterson & Son, in Howells, N. Y., from April 1st. Two rooms, suitable for any business. Address DR. J. O. DAVIS, Howells, N. Y. 52ed1f

WANTED—\$1,200 on bond and mortgage, first class. EDWIN S. MERRILL, Attorney at Law, No. 10 East Main street.

FOR RENT from April 1st. House and barn No. 7 Benton avenue. House contains nine rooms, range and bath. Apply to 55d1f C. J. EVERSON, King street.

TRAVELERS Wanted—Faithful gentleman or lady to travel representing established house. Salary \$65 monthly and expenses with increase. Enclose reference and self addressed stamped envelope. 60d1f THE DOMINION CO., Chicago.

TO LET—Large paint shop, on Canal street. Rent payable in advance. H. EVERETT, 11 Orchard St. 51d1f

STORE for Rent, suitable for drug store, grocery or meat business. Enquire at 23d1f Pindar House, Wickham avenue depot.

BOOKS and Magazines bound at reasonable rates at McINTYRE'S, No. 32 North street.

FARM to exchange for Middletown property. Call at 111 West Main street. 63d1f

REDUCTIONS in prices at the City Tailor's, 26 North street, on all orders for tail and winter goods for thirty days to make room for spring goods. C. H. ENDE, 26 North street.

BARGAIN—For sale, house and lot on East avenue, enquire at No. 53 East avenue. 38d1f

THE Annual meeting of stockholders of the Middletown Ice Co. will be held at the office of the company on Saturday, March 16th, 1895, at 7 p. m., for the purpose of electing officers for ensuing year and transacting such other business as may come before the meeting. 60d1f J. D. WOOD, Secretary.

ON Receipt of postal card, CRAIG will send for your shoe repairing and deliver same day, if required. We make rubber patching a specialty. NO. 22 WEST MAIN STREET.

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See us if you are in want of Butter. Fresh Butter arriving almost daily. Our leader—a good JAPAN TEA FOR 25 CENTS per pound.

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To the Voters of the City of Middletown.

I certify the following to be a true and correct list of all the nominations, certified to me, pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 262 Laws of 1893, as amended, for the Charter Election, to be held in and for the city of Middletown, N. Y., on Tuesday, March 5th, 1895.

E. M. HAMILTON, City Clerk.

DEMOCRATIC NOMINATIONS.

OFFICE NAME

City Treasurer—George E. W. Loring.

Water Commissioner—Austin E. Ladington.

Assessor—Robert L. Mon.

Constables—P. Clark Barrett.

Constables—Henry E. Hoag.

Aldermen—

1st Ward—Joseph D. Brinkhoff.

2nd Ward—Henry F. King-laud.

3rd Ward—Joshua H. Hest.

4th Ward—William H. Rogers.

Board of Education (full term)—

Robert C. Gillespie.

Horace W. Corry.

High School (two years)—

Edmund Allen.

City—William H. E. Banton.

Excise Commissioner—Abraham Coddington.

REPUBLICAN NOMINATIONS.

OFFICE NAME

City Treasurer—William E. Hartman.

Water Commissioner—William H. Rogers.

Assessor—William E. McWilliams.

Constables—Charles W. Faulkner.

Hiram A. Keapp.

Aldermen—

1st Ward—George F. Close.

2nd Ward—Levi V. Stasabaugh.

3rd Ward—Harry E. King-laud.

4th Ward—William C. E. Bastian.

Board of Education (full term)—

James G. Harding.

Joshua A. H. well.

to fill vacancy (2 yrs.)—

Erwin M. Huxford.

Bryan S. Dayt n.

Excise Commissioner—John J. Cor.

PROHIBITION NOMINATIONS.

OFFICE NAME

City Treasurer—T. Wesley Lacey.

Water Commissioner—George S. Belding.

Assessor—William Barnes.

Constables—John W. Donald.

Constables—John W. Ayers.

Aldermen—

1st Ward—Daniel G. Comings.

2nd Ward—Thomas W. Smith.

3rd Ward—John W. Bink.

4th Ward—Galen G. m. n.

Board of Education (long term)—

James O. Mulliken.

John Gray.

Edwin M. Williams.

to fill vacancy (short term)—

P. Lewis McWilliams.

William H. E. Banton.

Excise Commissioner—John W. Hill.

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20 roll toilet paper \$1 00.

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Linen towels 7c and 9c.

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pare with others. Should you be

able to find its equal you can have

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shirt. We have cheap shirts cheap